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The report for presentation to the shareholders of the above company at the eighth ordinary general meeting to be held at the office of the general managers, Mesars Shewan Tomes and Co., on Saturday, 11th September, at noon, states :--

The balance at credit of Profit and Loss Account is \$446,483.42, which it is proposed to deal with as follows, viz.; - To place to Reserve Fund \$400,000.000, and carry forward to next account \$46,483.42. The concession for lighting Canton together with the Fact-y, property and material there, was sold to the Ta Ching Kwang Tung Electric Supply Co., for 21,330,000,00. Payment was completed on 31st July, to which date the present

accounts are made up. It is obvious from comparing the figures of the last account with those now haid before you that, owing to circumstances beyond our control, we were losing ground at Canton and; in view of this and other considerations, we decided to avail ourselves of the opportunity of disposing of this branch of the business at what'we consider a fair price. We shall now have to devote all our attention to the development of the

Kowloon Factory. Capital. -It is not proposed to pay dividend but to make a return of capital to the extent of \$5.00 per share, or \$500,000.00 nut of fund- in hand, but this cannot be done until the necessary resolutions, which are now being drawn up, have been passed and the consent of the Court obtained.

Consulting Committee. - In accordance with the Articles of Association Sir Paul Chater, C.M.G., Dr. J W. Noble, and H. P. White Esq. retire but offer themselves for re-election.

Auditors. - The accounts have been audited by Mosers W. H. Potts and A. O D. Gourdin, who are recommended for re-election.

Says the London correspondent of the New York Herald :- A story that became public about a prospective betroths between Princess Alexandra of Fife and King Mariuel of Portugal was, I under stand, something more than mere rumour. But the idea was very soverely discountenanced in Court circles. The main difficulty was that the Princess would have to enter the Roman Catholic Church, and for all English princesses who are what dynastic juriste have called eben burtigotherwise of unblemished royal blood that is an insurmountable obstacle. King Edward is known to attach great importance to this consideration. The precedent of Queen Victoria of Spain seems at first sight to tell against this argument, but as a matter of fact, the Battenbergs are not held to be eben burtig in a strict sense, owing to the morganatio moriein of their lather. It is the same with the Tooks. Whether, strictly speaking, Princess Alexandra of Fife is even burti may be open to question, for her father does not enjoy that privilege here. How. ever, the view of the King prevails over theaubileties of jurists, Princess Alexandra be ble sidest granddaughter, and that

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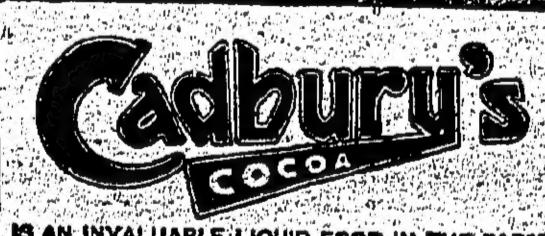
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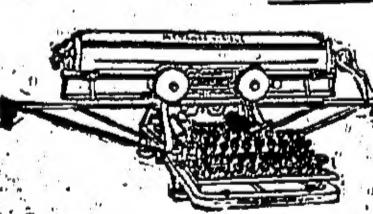


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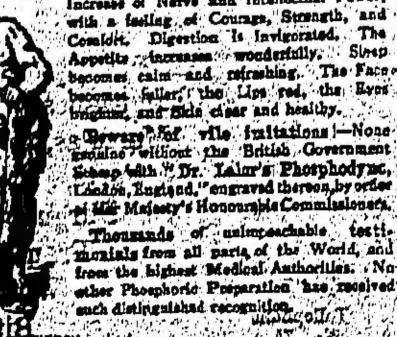
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are disgusting-only adaptable to dermice. We should have doubtless arrived at other conclusions profitable to this benighted earth, if his father, the cook, hadn't carried him off, and my father, the sahib, hadn't demanded what all the servants were doing upstairs, and where his meal was. L.cz pressed my opinion of this infamous and ungoutlementy interruption forcibly for half an hour. Should have continued longer, but don't wish to injure capacity of 25th.-Dull day. Too bot to cry. "Sick as often as possible. Nurse wild, wanted to sleep. But I must get even with her over the clothes, and the food, and the washing-they wash me twice a

day which is pure madness and various have a ninth schance. Some people have no command over their tempers. Forgot it was hot and yelled, but, stopped after ten minutes. It bothered my mother, and I'm inclined to like her. women, this time. They sat in the draw-

26th. - Another reception. White people, ing-room, and I was brought down to them dressed" in a long thing covered in lace and frills, and whirligigs, and an absurd cap tied under my chin. This is sheer cruelty, because I have no neck to which clothes can be tied. It struck on somehow, and I said what I thought about it, and the purse, and the synb, and the people: "What fine lungs !" said a fat old woman in a blue gown and an eyeglass. "Lungs :!" Good gracious! Haven't they sense enough. to know it is pure voice and ability to strike a high keynote? Her lungs must have been curious her voice was like cotton-wool. They all stared at me, and kissed me, and wondered at my arms and legs. Yet these appendages are usual in habies, I believe. They drank ten in sips. cackled about husbands, other women, children, dances, servants, and fashions. When they thought of me, they jabbed me in the chest with their finger and soid "Icky ducky slog." icky ducky sing, indeed? Only sensible creature a girl who ate a plateful of sweets and didn't (Continued on Lage 8.)

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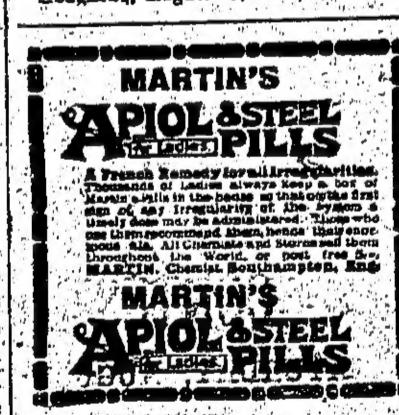


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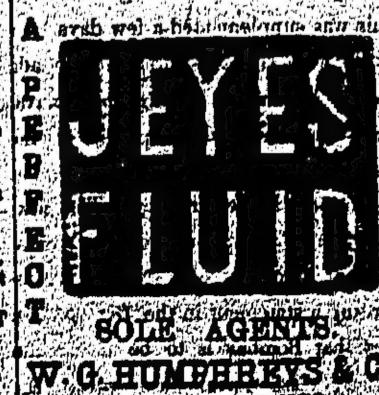
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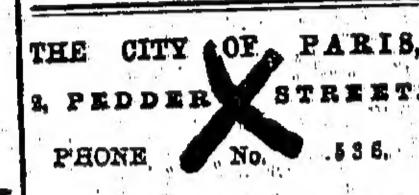
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> MEMOS FOR MONDAY. Auction.

2.30 p.m. - Auction of Household Furniture, &c. at No. 55, Wyndham Street

General Memoranda. Turanax, August 31 :- 8 a.m. - Military Gun Practice. 11 a.m. - Auction of 17 Coils Leather Belting, Sewing Machines, &c. at Mr. Geo. P. Lammert's Sales Rooms. 2.30 p.m.—Anction of Household Furni-ture at No. 5, Clifton Gardens (25,

Conduit Road). THURSDAY, September 2 :--Noon-Auction of Steam Launch Yan Ke alongside the Douglas Steamship Co.'s

FRIDAY, September 3:-2.45 p.m.-Auction of Household Furniture at No. 1, Park View, Lyttleton 5 p.n. - Meeting of Cottam & Co., Ld.

2 p.m. Porformance at the City Hall. TURBDAY, September 7:-2.15 p.m.—Meeting of His [biajestys] SATURDAY, September 11 :- THE Noon-Meeting of China Light & Power Co., Ld., at Co.'s Offices.

The China Iflail.

HORGEONG, "SATURDAY, AUGUST 28, 1909 HONGKONG AND THE DEFEN

OF THE EMPIRE. By small driblets the more important resolutions arrived at by the Imperial Defence Conference recently held London are gradually coming into the possession of the public. First of all Reuter informed as that a broad and comprehensive scheme for an Imperial homogenous army had been adopted by Great Britain and her daughter states. This was supplemented a few days later by the news that Australia and Canada had resolved upon raising local naval

blunders in modern naval history. forces which should be placed at the INFANCILE CHOLERA. disposal of Great Britain in the event A NY unoqual lucespace of a child bowels during the hot weathershould of war or other emergency. The next be a warning to mothers. Infantile enclara news came from our London corres pondent who sent us a special wire re- action should be taken to avoid it. Than berisin's Colle. Cholers and Discribes garding a statement in the Birmingham Remedy, followed by a dose of maker off, all danger may be avided. For Bale by all

MEWS OF THE DAY

Dockyard at Honghong is to be over-

hauled and reported upon regarding

ment. Hard on the heels of this

information came the telegram which

summery of an important statement

made in the House of Coumons by

Mr. H. H. Asquiris, the Fremier. From

this we gather "that a very com-

prehensive scheme has been worked

out for the defence of those portions of

were, East of Suez. A new Pacific.

fleet is to be organised, he said, con-

sisting of three important units. These

Indies (with head quarters at Bombay

evidently), Australia and the China Sea.

will consist of one cruiser of the In-

carrying 8 12-in and 16 4-in quick

of, we presume, the County class, six

destroyers and three submarines. We

venture to suggest that the second part

of the message which says that New

Zealand will be defended by the China

unit, means that the Australian unit

will be served by a purely local

ships of the Royal Navy itself to

serve" its needs. If that is so we

land would leave this great and in-

able "and one second class cruiser, an

altogether inadequate force even in the

apportioned to the China Unit before

sadly misread the telegram, the Lords

of the Admiralty have reduced the

China squadron to the dimensions

of a phantom. We do not expect to

standard in point of numbers which

outbreak of the Russo-Japanese War.

figured on its list; but we do think that

the dimensions of the squadron having

been whittled down to the extreme

limits of prudence, advantage should

be taken of the first occasion to restore

its proportions to something commen-

surate with its importance and the

arduous duties which it has to per-

form. We cannot help thinking that

when the China unit was given the

additional task of safeguarding the

interests of New Zealand, our naval

goes by the name of national prestige.

the minds of Far Eastern people in pro-

show the flag floating proudly above a

well-found squadron of the Royal Navy

cruisers, to serve the needs of China

and New Zealand, seems farcically in-

these waters, and we hope that the

with vigour and by their representations

looks very like one of the most coloses!

British prestige waxes and wanes

portion to the ability of the nation

remarkably small-scale maps.

the Empire which are grouped, as

Fur having unlawfully in her posses the possibilities of its further develop- sion a quantity of lines & Chinese girl was nt the Magistrady to-day, flowd \$25.

The total amount of feet received in 1908 from the Civil Hospital and we printed last night giving a short apported (excluding Victoria Hospital) was \$26,070.30 as compared, with \$39,77

> The Gazeffe contains a notice to mariners in respect to the rules to observed when any of H.M. ships leave or enter the Admiralty camber at H. Br.

We understand that the Hongkoug Cricket Club making a departure from old Royal Engineers traditions, will give a promonade concert 83rd Co., R.G.A. 6 on its spacious grounds on the evening of units will have their bases in the East September 18th. An excallent programme

Dr Atkinson in the course of his medi-Hongkong will be the head-quarters of [cal report for 1908 refers to the increasing the latter, just us it is now. Each unit [use to which public bath-houses in the Colony are being put. The figures are :---Wanchai Bath-house (men only), 151 065; domitable class (a capital ship of 17,250 | Second Street Bath house (mon only). tons with a speed of 25 knots and 57,724; Pound Iane Bath-house (men and women), 110,056; Sheung Fung Bath-house (women only), 30,722; Total, firing guns), three second class cruisers, 549,567.

" In the belief that the Millennium may be ushered in at any moment, over 2,000 "Cooncyites" are holding continuous prayer meetings at Ballinamalkod, County Fermanagh. The pilgrims have arrived from all parts of Ireland, and remarkable. scopes are boing witnessed. Hundreds of persons are baptised publicly in the river navy in times of peace and that every day, and the converts are sleeping New Zealand can only call upon the out in the open air.

This afternoon at the Tung Wall Hospital Dr Harston, who has been closely think that the China unit should be indentified with the successful treatment still further strengthened instead of of eye diseases at the institution named, being reduced as it will be under the was presented with several pieces of equisitely worked embroidary. Mr Sin Tak new scheme, for the despatch of even Fan made the presentation on behalf two second class cruisers to New Zen- the Directors of the Hospital, the Committee of the Po Leung Kuk and the Chinese gentry, and merchants of Hongkong. portant station with merely an Indomit- Tes was subsequently served.

Dorando Pietri, the little pastrycook, of Carpi, whose plucky effort in the first piping times of peace. We sincerely British Marathon race made him the hero trust that the Government will see its of the hour, and won for him a special gold way to enlarge—the number of ships cup from Queen Alexandra, has been overwhelmed with proposals to appear on running tracks abroaddoring next year. These proposals are under consideration. Dorando finally adopts its new programme. As doclares that he will probably give the stands at prescut, unless "we have preference to South Africa and Australia.

Adelaide in an extraordinary manner. He M. J. Johnstone's Dammit, had been conducting a service at Edwards- Mr. J. Johnstone's Jock-O-Orran, town, and had been driven to South-road Commodore H. Lyon's Swan, ... ever see the station restored to the high He alighted from the vehicle, but, instead was attained a few years prior to the of entering the station yard by the ordinary path, he by some means fell into a cattle pit about 4ft. deep. He had seized the when two Admirals were not deemed rail to pull himself; out when the train dashed over and cut both his hands off. too many for its needs and two firstclass battleships and two second-class

The Shogyo Shimpo says that, owing to the prevailing depression in the mari time carrying trade, no less than 300 ship's officers and about 1000 sailors are out employment in Yokohama and Kobe alone. During the War there was a keen demand for officers of merchantmen, and they wer engaged without being obliged to satisfy the full standard of seamanship. These men were of course the first to fall out of employment, and it is not uncommon nowadays to see an officer serving for 40 or yen a month, whereas he formerly received 150 or 200.

Don Jaime, the eldest son of the late strategists must have been studying Don Carlos, Pretender to the Throne Spain, declines to take advantage of the present state of affairs in the Peninsula. to push his clair s. He swears he wil otherwise came they to separate New never load Spaniard against Spaniard Zealand from the Australian unit? Too Should I return to Spain at the head much reliance is being placed, we fear, of any army," he says, "it would be only to restore order. This might happen upon the permanency of the Angloshould the revolutionaries drive out King Japanese alliance, and too little is, being Alfonso, or the welfare of the country require it." The popularity of King Alfonso made of that very intangible asset which is declining through no fault of his own, and Queen Victoria is certainly less liked than the King. Spaniards dread foreign influence. Queen Victoria has remained s stranger too long and the people will never forgive her."

Mr. Denman Fuller, the "celebrated organist of Saint John's cathedral of Hong. One capital ship and three second-class kong, was greeted by the largest congregation that ever assembled in the Hon Mr. W. J. Gresson's Garth, 156 lbs. cathedral of Saint Mary and Saint John since its dedication, when he gave his first Hon Mr W. J. Gresson's Lammerton, adequate to anyone who has travelled in recital on the magnificent now pipe organ last Sunday afternoon. Every seat had an Navy League will take up the subject occupant and scores stood up. Blahop O. H. Brent presided, and the entire cathedral choir was in attendance, Mr prevent the Old Country from making Fuller gave six numbers, all of which were what, in the light of present information, appreciated by his attentive auditors. The 2nd Battallon The Boffs, the Band of the second number, a madrigal of Lemares, held the attention of everybody because of its deep pastoral effect. Elgar's imperial march filled the outhedral with its tremendous notes, but the fifth number, Schumann's Canon in E minor seemed to Caprice The Butterfy ... Benedix appeal to the hundreds present more than | Selection Our Miss Gibbs any other number. The regital closed with Gayotte Les Voix des Widor's Tooste, & selection distinguished | Javel Bons ... The Claists ... for its swelling vienes - Cabletienes Asserts Patrol. ... The Repotter

SPORTING.

Water Polo.

A most interesting match took place in connection with the Hongkong Water Polo Shield Competition yesterday; the opposing toams being the B. C. C. and the L. R. C. The Lusitano soored first through Ross and before half-time Ellis had equalised. N further scoring took place, the result of a stronuously contested game being a drag of one goal each.

The league table to date is as follows boiling pitch. Several also had the left Played Won Lost Drawn Pts.

88th Co., B.G. 4.

Lawn Bowls.

P. S. Pith has won the cup presented by Inspector Ritchie for competition among

Hongkong Gymkliana Club.

The following is the programme of the Valley on Saturday next, 4th September, commencing at 4.16 p.m.:-

GYMEHANA STAKES .- Value \$100. D'stance One Mile. For all China Ponica, Catch weights at 10 st. 6 lbs. Winners of an open race or open Griffing race & lbs. extra. Non-winning Subscription Griffins allowed 5" lbs. Jeckers "he have not won more than two official races in Houghong, Shanghal or Tientsin allowed 5 lbs. A Cup-called the Gymkhana-Cupwill be presented at the end of the season to be won by the Pony scoring most marks in the races for the Gymkhana Stakes at the Gymkhana Moetings during the Season, counting 4 points for a first; 2 for a second; and I for a third. 2nd Prize: \$25. (Half entrance fees to go to winner).

Mr Blank's Greyback, 1467bs Mr Dryasdust's Triad 156lbs tMr Dryasdust's Best Friend, 151lbs. tHon, Mr W. J. Gresson's Garth, 154lbs Mr Lawork's Theodolite, (late Backstay) 146 lbs

+Mr Lesson's Scaloam, 151 lbs SMr Seth's The Tortoise, (late Strathmili), 141 lbs (late Tedcott), *Penalty of 10 lbs. +Penalty of 5 lbs Penalty of 8 lbs. SAllowance of 5 lbs. Points awarded up to date are

Triad,10 Garth, Best Friend, Sportsman, Scurey.-From 2 Mile Post Ponies to start facing the village and turn right-handed at fall of flag.

weights 11.7. First Prize: A Cup

presented by the Officers of the Garrison. 2nd Prize, \$25. (Entrance fees to go to The Rev. J. O'Brien, a Baptist minis. Mr H. J. Gedge's Desire, Mr H. J. Gedge's Rufus, Hon Mr J. W. Gresson's Middlessex.... ter, had his hands cut off by a train in Hon Mr J. W. Gresson's Birthday, ...

sing to catch the train for Adelvide. THREE QUARTERS OF A MILE HANDIC-1 B. CLASS. - For all China Ponies. trance fee \$5. First Prizes : Two cups presented by Commodore H. Lyon, the Hongkong Gymkhana Club Classes A and B respectively. 2nd Pizes \$25. Entrance fees to be divided between Winners of A Class and B Class. Admiral Lambton's Kamranh, 158 lbs:

Mr J. Johnstone's Dammit, 158 lbs Mr Laworks Theodolite (late Backstay), 155 lbs Commodore H. Lyon's Cavalier, 148 lbs Major H. Findlay's Polo Stick, 145 lbs

Mr. M. M. Brice's Gambier, 145 lbs ... Mr Seth's The Tortoise (late Strathmill), Mr Blank's Argyll, 140 lbs THREE QUARTERS OF A MILE HANDICAR

Mr Dryssdust's Best Friend, 161 lbs... Mr Dryssdust's Triad 158 lbs Mr J. Johnstone's Hertzblatt 157 lbs... Mr L. K. Leeson's Seafosm 155 lbs ... Mr Blank's Greyback 147 ibs Hon. Mr W. J. Gresson's Lammerton 145 lbs

Hon. W. J. Mr Grasson's H. H. 142 lbs Mr L. K. Looson's Soudan (late Forfar)

INDIVIDUAL TENT-PEGGING COMPETITION -China ponies only to be used. of three runs. 3 Points for a Carry; 2 for a Draw and 1 for a Touch. The Judge has at his disposal 2 points for Pace and Style over all three runs. Lance exercise will not count towards style. Lutrance fee \$2. First Prise a Cup presented by the Hongkong Gymkhans Club.

1.-Mr C. H. Blason. 2. Mr M. M. Brice. 3.-Mr Crookenden

4 - Mr W. S. Dupres. 5. - Major Eston. 6.-Mr H. J. Gedge.

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7. -Mr John Johnstone. 8. -Mr Maxwell. 9. Mr G. C. Moxon. 10.-Mr Sill. ONE AND A QUARTER MILES HANDICAR.

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ir M. M. Brice's Toddles (late Hon Mr.W. J. Greecon's H. H., 139 lbe. Mr. Seth's. The Tortoise (late Strath

By kind permission of Lieut. Colonel R. Bayard, D.S.O., and the Officers of the Regiment will play the following selections inting the afternoon :-Territorial L. Blanksburg Selection The Yeomen or

the Guard

Clasping Hands ... Henker.

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MOROCCO HORRORS

SULTAN'S EHOUKING INHUMANITY.

(Regiter's Service to the China Mail) LONDON, August 26 The Sultan of Morocco bas had the right hands of twenty-four rebel leaders hacked of and the stumps plunged into

foot hacked off CHOLER AT ROTTER DIM

(Router's Service to the China Mail.) LONDON, August 28. The outbreak of cholera at Rotterdam

continues, and further fresh cases have

been notified. The Port Authority for London has leclared Rotterdam an infected place. and all arrivals therefrom are being examined.

Similar precautions are being taken by other ports.

fourth meeting to be held at Happy THE CANADIAN WHEAT CROP.

> (Renter's Service to the China Mail.) LONDON, August 28. It is estimated in Montreal that the Canadian wheat crop totals some 115,000,000 bushels, most of which is grain of the best quality.

> > DEATH OF MR MANVILLE FENN

(Router's Service to the China Mail.) LONDON, August 28.

78 years of ago. As a writer of light end of this year or early next spring. literature he gained considerable notoriety by his contributions to magazines. He was formerly editor of Cassell's Magazine on foot for a party of prominent Canton and also editor and proprietor of "Once a merchante to go on a business tour to Week." He was a most prolific writer of Japan, by special invitation, but the matter novels, of which he turned out some is not sufficiently far advanced to go intohundreds, his last, "A Country Squire," details yet - ED. C.M. appearing as late as 1907 .- ED. U. M. T

Mr Theodore Roosevelt, entertained at a public banquet at Nairobi before starting off on his northward trek to the Nile, said in the course of a speech in response to the toset of his health, proposed by Lieut. Governor Jackson : "I wish to take this opportunity of thanking the people of British East Africa for their generous and courteous hospitality. I have had thoroughly good time. ... I am immensely healthy prosperous settlements, and it would be a calamity to peglect them. But the actilers must be of the right type. I believe that one of the best fests performed by members of the white race in the last ten years is the building of the Uganda Railroad. I am convinced that this country has a great agricultural and industrial future, and it is the most attractive playground in the world. It most certainly presents an excellent opening for capitalists, and ample opportunity should be offered them to come here. And remember, that rightoousness and our real ultimate self-interest demand that the blacks be treated justly. I have no patience with sentimentalists, and think sentimentalism does greater harm to individuals than brutality. Therefore, I believe in helping the missionary of whatever creed, who is labouring sincerely and disinterestedly and with practical good sense. It is natural that I should have a peculiar affinity for the settlers. They remind me of the men in our West, with whom I worked and in whose aspirations I deep y sympathise."

PROPER TREATMENT FOR

DYSENTERY AND DIARRHOEA. THE great mortality from dysentery and diarrhoes, is due to a lack of proper treatment at the first stages of the disease. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholers and Diarrhoes Remedy is a reliable and effective medicine and when given in reasonable time wil prevent any dangerous consequences.

JAPANESE MILITARY STUDBINTS

I' Independent News Agency'e Service to the China Mail)

NEW REGULATIONS.

Torro August 27. The new regulations of the Army Department provide for the sending abroad annually of young and promising officers. They are to proceed to China. England, France, Germany and Russia. to study languages. his year ten officers will be selected, and their preliminary. examination takes place next month, the final in the following month.

JAPANESE CONSULAR CHANGES.

Independent News Agency's Service to the China Mail k

Toxxo, August 27. Mr Ots, Secretary of the Japanese Embassy in Garmany has been appointed

Consul at Newchwang. Vice-Consul Murayama, of Tiebling, becomes Vice-Consul at Changeha.

CHINA AND JAPAN

SUGGESTED VISIT OF BUSINESS MEN.

" Independent News Agency's" Service to the China Mail.)

Tokto, Aug. 27. Viscount Katsura, the Premier, is-

very anxious that prominent Japaness businessmen should visit China and he The death has occurred of Mr George is now urging them to put such a plan-Manville Fenn, the well known novelist. into execution. It is expected that [Note-The late Mr Manville Fenn was such a trip could be arranged for the

Note-We believe there is a movement

A COMPLAINT FROM HARBIN.

(Wah To Yot Po's Service.) Pexiso, August 27.

Chinese merchants at Harbin have complained of the variations in the taxation of native and foreign goods. and have asked the Customs Departinterested in the country, and its possi- ment to make a reduction in the taxes bilities as an abode for white men. Large imposed on Chinese goods, so as totracts are fit for a fine population and bring the amounts on the same footing as those applied to iomign goods.

A SENSIBLE SUGGESTION.

(Wah Tex Yat Po's Service.)

Perro, August 27. Viceroy Shi Liang of Manchuria has memorialised that the order forbidding the publication by the Press of matters relating to the difficulties in Manchuria be withdrawn with a view to securing the support of the people in the matter.

NAVIGATION IN CHINESE WATERS.

(Wah Ta Yat Po's Service.)

PERISO, August \$7. The Board of Foreign Affairs is engaged in drawing up rules regulating navigation in Chinese and neutral

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RAMBLING NOTES.

Fire, storm and carthquake have been playing sad havor with Japan this summer. and several Honglong folk who went up there for their holidays are saying that we who stayed behind and stuck to our work have had the best of it. "I quite believe them. There's nothing to beat the comforts of home no matter where the household gods are set up, and holidays as a rule are a weariness and a disillusion.

All the same how eagerly we do look forward to the chance of lifting our noses off the grindstone and what inconveniences and discomforts we will chestfully endure during the continuance of our so-called holidays ! "All work and no play, makes Jack a dull boy," is a couplet believed in by nearly everybody these days.

In your junior morning contemporary I to read the statement that Commodore Lyon has only been here since February." Well, well it gives me to think. As a matter of fact our Commodors arrived here on the 29th October last per the P. and O. steamer Delhi

agreed upon the merits of the handsome being resumed." addition which the princely house of Jardino have made to our architectural possessions. Houghong these days can hold up its crest worthily with the best in regard to the business offices erected up. and around the Praya reclamation, but it hangs its head with shame as it watches the tortoise-like progress of the new Post Office and the new Law Courts. Will they ever be finished this side of eternity.

The opium debate in the House of Commona last month should give the Colony of Hongkoug some idea of the treatment which the Liberal and Labour members intend to mete out to it with reference to Lord Crewe's famous offer of asking for 44 a substantial contribution " towards our losses in opium revenue. These worthy gentlemen have no intention whatever of making any contribution to the Colonial treasury. We may break up on the rocks LAt Quarry Bay at 5.15 pm. on Monday of bankruptcy for all they care. That such the 30th August, and Thursday, the 2nd would probably be their attitude was September. pointed out at the time, both in the Council Chamber and in the local press, and although there is precious little satisfaction in saying "I told you so," still we have the comfort of knowing that Lord Crewe did not pull the wool over everybody's 21st instant; assigned Corps No. 1094 and

of conversation floating about this week, and beyond bathing parties and water polo, little has been doing outside " the commonround, the trivial task," I am glad to see that the proprieture of the China Mail are again offering prizes for a swimming race | 25th instant; assigned Corps No. 1097 and across the harbour and I hope their support posted to the Engineer Company. of a healthy sport will be rowarded by as big an outry as last year. This annual event is always looked forward to by the swimmers in the Colony. For two years running the principle Cup has gone to a worthy fellow from H.M.S. Tamar. I wonder who will win it this year.

The pile of medical reports laid on the table at the meeting of the Legislative Council on Friday remimds me that President Shipley, F.R.S., of the Association of Economic Biologists, challenges the, view that the human vermiform appendix is both useless and vanishing, while Prof. Wm. Osler says that the appendix has been much maligned. Even laymon are aware that there has been a considerable reaction from the crase for operations for appendicitis of a few years ago. It is quite probable that science will yet vindicate the appendix, and perhaps invent some nice little job

I do not ask my readers to believe it but the following tale is vouched for to me on the authority of a very worthy member of the garrison. A company of an infantry battalion was sent on detachment to a remote village in Ireland, to be stationed there for some months. During this period copies of regimental orders of a permanent nature were forwarded to the officer commanding the detachment in the usual manner. One of these read : " All men in the battaken shall change their shirts at least twice a week," and the captain gave directions to the colour-sergeant to see this order carried out. " But. sir," said the polour-sergeant, "there's only a shirt spiece to every man in the company. How can they?" . "I be affected." What it is crying about I don't don't care a rap," retorted the captain, orders are orders, colour-sergeant. Let the men change shirts with one another." And so they did, every Wednesday and Saturday. As I said before, you can believe it if you like.

very good dentist," explained the customer. The dentist expressed his pleasure. . It's sabout a tooth that has been giving trouble. The better way is to have it out and be done with it." The dentist, finding that the source of trouble was a back tooth; suggested stopping. It was a pity, he thought, to lose a valuable mesticating tooth if it might be saved. "Yes. I know what that means," retorted the customer. not prove a sporces, as the sudden change you will have to be stopping it afresh to superabundant rich diet resulted in the every few months. Better have it outnothing like having a troublesome tooth out at once." The dentist went on t suggest that in drawing a tough, fourpronged back tooth an annethetic was desirable. What does it cost ?" inquired the prodest patient, and, being told the White, a promuent merchant of Turtle charge would be half a sovereign extra, he

pain. It's all nonsense this laughing gas and that sort of rubbish. What's a bit of pain, after all." The dentist laughed. " must say you're one of the plucklest men I have had to deal with. Bit down here. and I'll have it out in ten seconds." . Me -it's not mo," said the hero; "it's my wife's tooth I wanted to son you about."

Now as this has been a particularly warm afternoon, I will close with the following verselet from the Oleveland Plaindenler :-Nineteen suffragettes in jail, Getting thin and wan and pale ;

All, they say, refuse to est-Ico oream, salada, fudge and meat, Sweetbreads, souffle, lobster claws -Nary one will move her jaws. Thus each stubbern suffragette Keeps on getting thinner yet-

Starving for the right to vote, Scorning cooks and table d'hote. Mourn for Britain's boasted beef,

Braved by ninoteon suffragettes! RAMBLER

CLEAN BILLS OF HEALTH.

The following announcement has been issued by the Colonial Secretary's Office :-

DUTCH WARSHIPS IN HARBOUR.

Tiedemann; the Regentes (Capt. F. up the rear. Finke); and the Tromp (Capt. J. W. Termytelen). After leaving Hongkong the warships will visit other ports on the China coast.

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CORRESPONDENCE.

THE LICENSING QUESTION.

(To The Editor CHIMA MAIL.)

Sir.-I do not intend to begin a controversy as to the merits of Free Trade over Protection-they are well known to. all intelligent people—but as your morning ation than been circulated throughout the contemporary seems to hold a brief for the province. Hongkong Hotel perhaps you will allow me the use of your columns. He has used the very argument I expected, for there about in an aimless faction in Nam Shing that two blacks make a white, and be- she was a slave girl belonging to a family cause the port is not so free as we could named Shun living at Ko Tai St. The wish he argues that we should make it poor girl had been so ill-treated that she still worse in that respect! That is just resolved to escape and was in the act what I meant by "the beginning of doing so when arrested. The head of the the end"; our present interference with family asked that the girl be restored but kong Lands remain unchanged at 100 with the trade of the port is made an excuse the magistrate refused to allow this pro- West Points have been placed in small for taxing spirits; presently when we ceeding and the child is being taken charge want more money the tax on spirits of by the police. will be made "the excuse for taxing tobacco or something else and so the Government's. appetite will grow by feeding. Then bill by hit our transhipment trade will disappear and the Government of that day will complain that the port is going down, the cause of it. As for the Hongkong Hotel, it must be supposed to know its own business post, but it seems to me that if were managing a powerful institution like that with weak rivals, the higher the license fee the better I should be pleased. As for its ability to pay \$9,000, its accounts show that and whether it be Nine thousand or Eighteen thousand its dividends will not understand. - Your faithfully." ROBT. SHEWAN.

Monagono, 28th August.

An interesting comment on the cold meat trade which capitalists at Hankow are trying to open up with England, is "Lihate been recommended to you as a found in the annual report of Mr Fraser, the British Consul-General. He says :- I successful, it seems likely that local prices will be affected except in the case of pigs since the common black pig, whose flesh the favourite food of the poor in Uhina not found so suitable as the white Hunan and Kiangsi pigs. The attempt to fowls, up country and intten them here death of most of the native birds assustomed to forage for themselves in the field.

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CANTON NOTES.

(From Our Chan Correspondent.) -CANTON, 26th August.

BELT-GOVERNMENT SOCIETEL Everyone is anxiously awaiting to se how the new Vicency will treet the Sell Government Society. For the momen these Kentry are lying low and protociding that foreigners have misapprehended, their motives. A miserable subterfuge.

A SMART BUSH. On the island of Honam there is a village known as Tai Tong in which locality band of rubbers have for a long time beer hidden. It appears that these crimina all lived together in a kind of care and for a long time owing to the aupineness escaped arrest. Their method was when the police were seen or believed to be coming in that direction, word was once given and the bandits dispersed to meet again when the police disappeared. Their deprodations have at last beer checked and several notorious offenders. captured in the following manner. captain named Liu with sundry petty officers and a detachment of troops were sent against them by the command of the All those who have passed down Pedder's | "Ten days having elapsed since the last Brigadier General. Knowing the uselessness street or along Des Vonux Road are quite case of plague, clean Bills of Health are of proceeding against the robbers in their true character the soldiers disguised them. theatrical t x. solves, hired musicians and flag carriers and got up a mock marriage procession. The wedding-sedan, instead of containing bride, contained the loaded rifles, of the company. The scouts, taking no heed of There arrived in harbour this morning of the "procession" allowed it to pass three warships of the Netherlands floot. Without giving warning to the bandital They came from Manila where they had I When the cays was reached the arms were been for several days. As they entered taken out and after a smart fight many Hougkong waters salutes were exchanged. Jobbors were exptured. The troops return-The vessels consist of the flagship Do ed to the town in the same manner as they Ruyter, in command of Commodore G. F. went out and the captured robbers brought

> A despatch has been received from Peking stating that the provincial superior will be held responsible for any of his staff who are proved to be opium smokers.

The masters of all private schools in Fatshan neighbourhood have been ordered to sond in instantly all particulars relating to their schools, especially in reference to time-tables and subjects taught. Any master who disregards this notice will be punished by having his cortificate cancelled. PILIAL PIETY.

"A certain Chu Pak Yin was found guilty of being it member of a revolutionary society and was in consequence sentenced to years' imprisonment. The culprit's son has sent a petition to the acting Vicercy begging that he may be allowed to serve the sentence instead of his father, but the Vicercy has refused saying that there is no rule ordering that a son shall suffer for father's crime.

THE NEW VICEROY.

A telegram from Shanghai just received states that the sick leave of the Viceroy Yuan expires on the 28th and that he leaves for this place on the 29th. The telegram urges that preparations for his reception in Canton be immediately begun. STUDINTS IN SERMANY.

The Provincial Educational Commissioner has received information from the German Consul at Canton that there is in Berlin a society named the Tak Wah Wei which looks after the interests of all Chinese students in Germany. This inform-

CRUELTY TO A SERVANT GIRL. A constable saw a young girl wandering are so many people in the world who think St. He arrested her and it was found that

QUARREL AMONG PROTRIERS.

"Three brothers, Lau Tak, Lau Kam and Lau Yat succeeded their father as proprictors of a butcher's stall in the Po Hing market. Lau Yat was a worthless fellow who refused to work and spent his share of the profits in gambling. Last night Lau never seeing that they and they alone are Tak returned home the worse for liquor and began to quarrel with his young brother about the latter's bad habits. Becomin infuriated he stabbed Lau Yat with a knife and when Lau Kam interfered he also received wounds. The aid of the Red Cross Society was requisitioned and later on the eldest brother was arrested. CHARITY.

A meeting of the Nine Charitable Institutions, the Seventy-two Guilds and the Chamber of Commerce was held in the Kwong Chai Charitable Institution yesterday. The object of the meeting was to devise ways and means for rendering agaistance to those Chinese who have been sent home from Peru. The Province Judge, the Taotai for the development of native industries and many other officials and some private gentlemen were present. It was proposed to apply for use of the confiscated monastery outside the East Gate as the Kwong Chai building for the sick only. An inspection of the monastery to judge of its fitness for the purp se was ordered. It was estimated that the coat of maintaining these deported people will be at least \$600 per month. The Provinciat S.E. winds, light, fair Judge promised to tay the matter before the Viceroy and to endeavour to get the Government to subscribe to the scheme Another meeting is to be held to-morrow.

For a long time past it has been found yaly desirable to have more adequate means of grossing the river between Honem and Cauton. At present there are the public Lerry boats which are dirty and the sampane mbish are more arpendive. Hence an

BYEAM PERRY.

from the provincial authorities to run steam forry botween the two places. The wharf owners on both sides of the river are

strongly in favour of such a step being taken. The whole matter is to be investigated by the river police but the officials seem against the scheme urging that a sheam ferry would deprive the existing ferry boat people of their means of living. HORLY HOSPITAL The newly established hospital at Ho-

nam is lucky in gatting the generous support it has received during the past fow days. Special theatrical performances have been held for its benefit and durin ! one of these representations Mr Lak Hou Chan gave a donation of \$4000 in support of the hospital, Mr to Sing Kurgave \$ 000. the officials and their own vigilance they and many others gave large sums. One gentleman promised to give \$1000 a year establish a regular system of scouting so to its support and another promised \$500. One of the performances, however, almost ended in disaster. A kerosene lamp in the females" latrine exploded. There was a slight panic and some rushed to the doors but the fire was soln put out. These theatrical performances have been given every day for a whole month. The expenses have been very heavy but a profit of over \$10,000 has been made which will be handed to the hospital. The Government also generously refused to accept the usual

COMMERCIAL

SHARE RAPORT.

Mesars Vernon and Smyth in their weekly share report dated August 27th, state :-Local stocks continue dull and inactive WATKINS and we have but little to report in them. Rates remain fairly steady but have an inclination to weakness in most cases. Exchange on Loudon T/T 1/9 and on Shanghai 747.

Banks.-Hongkong and Shanghais have ruled rather weaker and small sales have been made, at 1,002 and 1,000 er the dividend of \$22.72 paid on the 23rd instant, the market closing quiet with sellers at 1,0024. Nationals remain unobanged and without business.

tippes very dull and we have no sales or changes to report.

Fire Insurance,-Hongkongs are still enquired for at 345, but sellers bek higher rates and we have heard of no business. Chinas continue on offer at 115 without inducing buyers to come forward."

have been placed at 314, and sellers at 314 rule the market at time of closing. A small further, demand at 311, however, remains unsatisfied. Indos have improved. in the North to 48 Tls. but it is apparently quite a nominal rate. We have heard of no local business. Shel's suffered a decline in the early part of the week to 70/... but have since rallied to 72/ on a recovery in The League of the White Hand, by Oswald London to 71/9 from 69/9. Other stocks under this heading call for no remarks.

Refineries. - China Sugars have ruled fairly steady during the week at 139/140 with some small sales, the market closing with buyers at 140. Luxons have further advanced on a speculative demand from A Royal Ward, by Percy J. Brebner. Manila to \$30 after sales at 26, 28 and 30, the market closing with sellers at the

Mining.—With the exception of Chinese Engineerings, which have fallen to 18; and Langkats, which have again risen in the North to 1,075 we have nothing to report under this besding.

Docks, Wharves and Godowns .- Hong- | The First Law, by Lady Fronbridge. kong and Whampos Docks have been in some demand and the rate has improved to Other Things than Love, by Handasyde. 60, ex the dividend of \$15 paid on the 24th instant, the market closing with further Kowloon Wharfs have been the medium of a fair business at 60 and 59 closing with buyers at the latter rate. Shanghai Docks have declined to 70 in the North. Hongkow Wharfs have "improved to 150, after sales at 147 and 148.

Lands, Hotels and Buildings .- Hong lots at 44. Hotels are a little quieter and we have only small sales at 45 for new issue to report. Humphreys close considerably lower and are obtainable at Kowloon Lands remain on offer at 30 Cotton Mills. - Ewos have improved in the North to 139, Laon Kung Mows to 110 Internationals to 90 and Soychees to 450. Hongkong have declined to 7 with sellers.

Rubbers- A fair business has been put through under this heading, and the following sales have taken place. Shelfords at 29/8 and 30/, Linggis at 23/, Highlands and Lowlands at £2.5 prem. Golcondas at 18.2.9 and a £2.94, Kuala Lumpurs at £2 14.4 and Balgownies at 50, 51 and 52 Straits

Mucellaneous, - hine Borneos have been placed at 121, Cements at 8. 0; Electrics at 207, Ropes at 24. Umon Waterboats at 10.80 and Chica Lights at 61, the latter closing with sellers, "Watsons have been pluced at 8. We have no further changes or business to report under this heading.

WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued from the Hangkong Observatory Pressure is highest over the Pacific to

the E of Japan. It is relatively low over Li ht B. winds may be expected in the Formosa Channel and light S.E. and E. winds over the N. part of the China Sec. Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to day, 0.00 inches. Forecast for the 24 hours ending at moon

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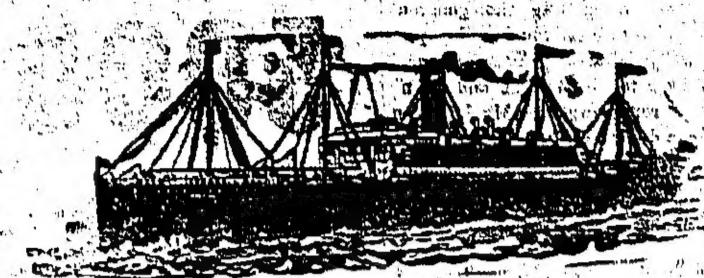
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St. Peter's Church, Queen's Road. West.

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Holy Communion 7 45 p.m. The Church launch " Days pring," wil sall on ships carrying white crows to bring friends ashore to the services between 9.15 and 10.50 a.m. and between 5.15 and 6 p.m. (Kowloon Police Pier 10.30 a.m. ind. 8 p.m), returning afterwards. All thesittings are free and unappropriated. Wisitors are welcome. Books &c., provided. Sunday Sch . 130 . 10.45 a.m.

Roman Catholic Cathedral

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Conference of St. Vincent de Paul 10,30 .. in. Cathecism at 5.30 pim. Benediction of the Holy Sagrament at 6 p.m.

St Joseph's Church. Mass. Surmin (English) and Benediction

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Services on Sand ye during August and September are :---Hely Communion on 1st Sunday of the

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W. W.M. Milne, Messrs H. Kaufmaun, Edwards, F. H. Alen, W. E Gardner, C. Flutcher, Mr and Mrs b. Brown ; Mor Colombo, Mr S. E. Allana; for Genos, Mr and Mrs Wade H. Kitchens, Mesers A. Regular Services, Sundays, 11.15 a.m. Dotermann, J. J. White and Wm. Huter : Wednesdays, 5.30 p.m. The reading for London, Mrs A. Determann ; for Bre-Room at the same address will be open | men, Mr Mackey ; for Antwerp, Mr.O. A. Per Zufire, for Manil ., Miss C. Gunzales. Mc T. Delmar Smi h. Mr and Mis F. M.

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The following is a list of passengers exected: Per Derflinger, due 31st August .- Capt. B. J. Tadd, Mr O. Monton and family, and

Mr L. Baumgartner. Per Prinz Bitel Friedrich, due 8th Sept. -Mr I'aul Rumcker and family, Capt. and. Mrs Roger Brooks, Messre Jose Escals, hannes Stiller, Walter Bruggmann, H. Ramsthal, Walter Thiele, Curt Regler, Otto Schberth, and Heinrich Haeberlin.

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IN THE S PREME COURT OF HONOKUNG.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

Notice of Intended Dividend.

Re The Kam Chrong Firm, late'y carrying on hasiness at No 42. Des Voenx Read West Victoria, in the Oulony of Hongkong, Dealers in Chinese

first and final dividend is intended to "H be declared in the above mitter. Creditors who have not proved their debta by the 28th day of September, 1909, will

n No. 30 of 1908.

Stationery.

he excluded.

Re Ammer Romanne of No. 12, Queen's Road Central Victoria aforesaid.

Merchant. TOTICE is hereby given that all prov ceedings under the above bank up of BANGKOK. have been stayed by the Court until such time as the Official Receiver shall make a

further report to the Court. Dated: this 27th day of August, 1909.

G. H. WAKEMAN. Official Receiver.

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THURSDAY the 2nd September, 1909, at Noon, "along aide The Douglas Steamship Co.'s Wharf.

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The M. M. Oo.'s s.s. Polynesism with the M. the FRENCH MAIL of the 30th July, Me left Saigon on Friday, the 27th August, at 5 a.m., and is expected to a rive here on Sunday, the 29 h August, at 7 p.m. This packet brings replies to letters despatched from

Hongkong on the 26th June. Per ves Tel. at 1.15 p.m., on Monday, The N. D. L. a.s. Derflinger carrying the Sal Gorman Malls with dates from Berlin | Sar of the Stat: July, left: Singapore on Thursday, the 26th August, at 2 p.m., and may be expected here on or Sil about Tuesday, the 31st August, at 5 | 20

> The C. P. R. Co.'s R.M.S. Empress of St. India left Vancouver for Hongkong | 31 on Wednesday, the 25th August, via | Shi the unual port of call. The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Montengle left I gr Vancouver for Hangkong on Monday, She

p.m., the 16th August, via the usual i gr ports of call. The P. M. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Korsa sailed gh from Yokohama on August 23rd, and Shi is due to arrive at this port on Sept. | She

Per Kulsung, at 2 p.m., on Tuesday, the The C. P. R. Co.'s R.M.S. Empress of St. Japan lost Yakobama on Tuesday, the lare 24th August at noon, for Victoria and

Vancouver. Expected. The N. Y. K. s.r. Shinane Maru (Ameri can Line) left Moji for this port on: the 25th August, and is expected here on the 29th August.

Per Quitte, at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, The N. Y. K. s.s. Tamba Maru (European Line) left Shanghal for this port on the 27th August, and is expected here on the 30th August. N. Y. K. s.s. Moyor Mary (Bombay Line) left Maji for this port on the 28th August, and is expected here on

the 31st August. The N. Y. K. s.s. Noko Maru (Anstrac lian Line) left Nagasaki for this port on the 27th August, and is expected here on the Slat August. The N. Y. K. s.s. Hakata Maru (European) Line) left Singapore for this port on

the 27th August, and is expected here on the 2nd Sept. The s.s. Atholi, left, Singapore on the 24th August, p.m., and may be expected here on or about the 30th August.

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be expected here on or about the 30 h Line) left Tuticorin for this port via Singapore on the 25th August, and is expected here on the 8th Sept. The C. N. Co. I d.'s s.s. Taiyuan left Sydney on the 25 h August, and is due

VISITORS AT HOTELS. ____ The Danish s.s. Type queb or left Sues on

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The Bank Line Lid,'s size Suveric left Vancouver on the 7th August, for Hongkong via ports.

Latest Advices The N. Y. K. s.s. Kumano Maru (Australian Line) left Manila for this port on the 28th Au ost, and is expected here on the 30th August, s.m. The N. D. L. s.s. Print Digismund lef Sydney on: Thursday, the 26th Au unt. at noon, and may be expected here on or shout Friday, the 17th September, The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Assays with the English Mart of the 6th - squate Jeft Sinyapore on Saturday, the 28th ing., at 9 a.m., and may be expected here on or about Thursday, the 2nd brings replies to letters desparched from Hungkong on the 6th July. The parcel mails closed in London for despatch by the all sea route on

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